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C O R R R C T E D C O P Y (REF LINE ADDED)

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV RH WA SF

REF: A. STATE 105935 B. STATE 101529

SUBJ: RHODESIA: INFORMING FRONT LINE OF PRETORIA AND
SALISBURY TALKS

1. AMBASSADOR LOW AND BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER ALLINSON ON
MAY 2 CALLED ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS PERMANENT SECRETARY HARRY NZUNGA
AND UNDER SECRETARY GIBSON ZIMBA TO CARRY OUT INSTRUCTIONS
(REFTELS) INFORMING ZAMBIAN GOVERNMENT OF THE PRETORIA AND
SALISBURY TALKS. THEY WERE HIGHEST LEVEL ZAMBIAN OFFICIALS
AVAILABLE. POINTS IN REFTELS WERE COVERED AND COPY WAS LEFT
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WITH THEM AND WILL BE PASSED TO STATE HOUSE. FROM QUESTIONS
NZUNGA AND ZIMBA ASKED IT WAS CLEAR THAT NEITHER WAS WELL
INFORMED ON THE STATE OF PLAY AND BOTH WERE ANXIOUS TO BE
BROUGHT UP TO DATE.

2. QUESTION OF NAMIBIA ALSO CAME UP, AGAIN WITH NZUNGA AND
ZIMBA APPEARING NOT TO BE WELL INFORMED OF WHERE MATTERS

STAND BUT EAGER TO BE BRIEFED. AS WITH THE PRESENTATION ON RHODESIA, THE ZAMBIANS LISTENED AND RESPONDED SYMPATHETICALLY.

3. COMMENT: WE BELIEVE IT WAS USEFUL TO GET OUT POINTS ACROSS AT THIS LEVEL IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY. ALTHOUGH NEITHER NZUNGA NOR ZIMBA HAS GREAT INFLUENCE IN POLICY DECISIONS, THEY DO PARTICIPATE IN ZAMBIAN CONSIDERATION OF THE ISSUES. WE DO WELL TO KEEP THEM INFORMED OF DEVELOPMENTS ON SOUTHERN AFRICAN ISSUES.

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